

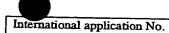
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A system, device (32) and method for electrically detecting a lack of saliva in an oral cavity of an individual and for electrically stimulating the oral cavity so as to induce production of saliva from at least one salivary gland. The system includes a control device for detecting a measure of salivation and for delivering electrical impulses to the oral cavity, a check device fro checking the state of the control device and for modifying a parameter thereof, and a computer device for exchanging information with the check device.

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